

Thursday, May 31, 1866.

NEATLY PRINTED BLANKS  
For Magistrates and Constables, just printed  
and for sale at this Office.Advertisements must be handed into the  
Office by TUESDAY MORNING, to insure an ap-  
pearance in the following paper.Advertisements are inserted in the order  
in which they are handed in.Persons purchasing articles advertised  
in these columns, will please mention that they  
saw the advertisement in the FAYETTEVILLE  
OBSERVER.Job Printing  
Of every description, neatly done at this Office,  
on reasonable terms. All work delivered when  
promised. Try us.AGENTS.  
The following gentlemen are duly author-  
ized agents of the OBSERVER:  
S. H. PARRY, 63 West Fourth Street, Cin-  
cinnati, Ohio.  
Col. CHRIS. C. McKINNEY, Petersburg, Tenn.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

BACON.  
SHACKLEFORD & BRIGHT, and GIL-  
BERT, KERR & SMITH, at their respective  
houses, North-west corner of the Public Square,  
are paying 18 cents per pound for good bacon,  
hog round, may 31—4c

Grand Tableaux.

The Lincoln County Ladies' Be-  
nevolent Society propose giving an  
entertainment consisting of Tab-  
leaux, Music, Charades, etc., in  
this place, on

Friday, June 8th,

and they hope to be encouraged by  
the presence of persons from every  
part of the county. Those un-  
able to attend can send donations,  
which will be gladly received.—  
They would, also, be happy to en-  
roll the names of ladies from ev-  
ery district of the county, as mem-  
bers of the Society. "The noble  
object in view appeals to every  
one, and is entitled to the sympathy  
and material aid of every citizen  
of the county. The Federal Gov-  
ernment, with commendable lib-  
erality, has appropriated large sums  
towards the aid and support of the  
Federal soldiers, but the Confed-  
erate dead and wounded can appeal  
only to the sympathy of those for  
whom they made their sacrifices.  
There is no rich and powerful  
Government to whom they can  
look for succor and support. The  
cause in which they laid down  
their lives and lost their limbs, is  
dead and buried, but the memory  
of the dead and the care of the  
living, remain to us a sacred legacy  
to all time. Many grand, costly  
mausoleums and proud monuments  
will go up to point the coming  
generations to where the Federal sol-  
diers lie, but history alone will  
tell how the Confederate dead, or-  
phaned of a nation's care, were  
loved and honored by the people  
of whom they were the ornament  
and pride, and for whom they died.  
If we who are spared life and  
limb and health are but true to our-  
selves, the task of the historian  
will be a grateful one. It will be  
a record appropriate and benefi-  
ting, alike to those who make it,  
and its noble objects.  
"Every one, who possibly can,  
should go to this tableaux, and  
those who cannot attend, should  
not feel that they are released  
from the sacred duty of contribu-  
ting to the success of the noble  
cause in which it is held. Those  
who cannot go, should send and  
purchase tickets, and do so much  
for the enterprise."

Attorney General.

The following are the returns  
of the election held last Thurs-  
day for Attorney General and Re-  
porter, and District Attorney:

Dis. Precinct. At Gen. &amp; Rep. Dis. Atk.

Bright, Clark.

1—Lynchburg, 28 27

2—Call's, 31 31

3—Tucker's Creek, 13 13

4—Renegar's, 22 22

5—Whitman's, 28 29

6—Groe's\*, 11 11

7—Buckeye, 85 91

8—Fayetteville, 12 12

9—Millard's, 33 33

10—Petersburg, 13 13

11—Wesley Chapel, 13 13

12—Common's\*, 27 27

13—Halbert's, 43 43

14—McKinney's, 15 15

15—Trantham's, 23 23

16—Millville, 10 10

17—Kelley's Creek, 47 47

18—Cold Water, 10 10

19—Camargo, 33 33

20—Agnew's\*, 13 14

21—Edmondson's, 31 31

22—Quick's, 12 12

23—Duke's Creek, 20 20

24—Count's, 14 29

25—Shelton's Creek, 448 573

26—Mulberry, 573

A Welcome Visitor.

We are in receipt of "The Prin-  
ter," for April, a monthly devoted  
to the interests of the "Art Pre-  
servative of all Arts." We used  
to receive the work regularly, and  
have now the first three volumes  
complete. But No. 11, Vol. 6, is  
the only copy we have seen for  
several years. Success attend it.

18 Cents for Bacon.

Shackleford & Bright, and Gil-  
bert, Kerr & Smith offer eighteen  
cents for Bacon, hog round. See  
Special Notice in this paper.

## About Indictments.

Last week we published an  
item saying that Jacques, the  
Colonel of a regiment that robbed  
Fayetteville, was on trial, charged  
with an infamous crime. Later  
advice say he is now at liberty,  
but whether as the result of a fair  
trial, a "quashing" of the indict-  
ment, or a mockery of justice, as  
in the case of Gen. E. A. Payne,  
of Paducah, Gallatin, and Tulla-  
homa notoriety, does not appear.An indictment is a written ac-  
cusation of an offence preferred  
against one by a grand jury of  
twelve persons, upon evidence in  
support of it. This is a definition  
from an approved authority. Now,  
an indictment is *ex parte*—one-  
sided—sometimes illegal; but at the  
same time we venture to say that  
it always carries with it the sting  
of moral guilt. There must be  
something rotten in a man's charac-  
ter to make twelve gentlemen call an  
act a crime. The indictment may  
be quashed—pleas in abatement  
may avail—exceptions to it may  
prevail, and the law upset; but the  
moral sting will remain. Hence,  
we all pray with reason—"Good  
Heaven preserve us from an indict-  
ment!"It strikes us that if we were in-  
dicted and knew ourself innocent,  
there would be no "quashing" or  
"pleas in abatement" thought of.  
We were guilty, like General Tul-  
lahoma Payne, the likelihood is  
we would try our best to break the  
rod instead of kissing it. If "A,"  
"B" and "C" are indicted, and "B"  
and "C" are ready for trial, and  
"A" isn't, but moves to quash, the  
inference certainly is that the  
two first think themselves inno-  
cent, and the last fears he is guilty.  
To the pure all things are  
pure—even some pure mistakes of  
law.Law is sometimes a sort of hum-  
bug, after all. A man sues for a  
debt, and after months of delay,  
gets a paper judgment and a bill  
of costs. Somebody is indicted,  
and he fees counsel to badger the  
attorney general, and the court,  
and the witnesses until the thing  
has flown by. It seems, too often,  
that the law is made for the pro-  
tection of rogues and vagabonds,  
rather than for the conservation of  
honest men and the preservation  
of morals.

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## A Panic over the Water.

A monetary panic, unequalled  
in intensity since 1825, rocked  
England and fro on the 10th  
and 11th inst. The Bank of Eng-  
land raised its rates to ten per  
cent., the government suspended  
the Bank Charter act, and failures  
to the amount of \$100,000,000  
took place—one firm for between  
50 and 60,000,000! Gold and sil-  
ver, appalled at the prospect, were  
secreted themselves in every hole  
and corner for future contingen-  
cies. Beyond all computation is  
the amount of money thus  
hoarded away by the timid and  
the cautious, whenever the slight-  
est prospect of a financial panic  
appears upon the business horizon.  
Specie disappears from circulation  
with the celerity of magic, only to  
find its way back into the old  
channels when the alarm itself  
has subsided and its cause disap-  
peared.It is a wholesome thing, how-  
ever, in one sense. It acts like a  
monetary barometer for the guid-  
ance of the careful and the sag-  
acious. It indicates the exact  
state of the public feeling, and ad-  
monishes the statesman in advance  
of what may be expected. Every  
little current of disturbance is  
there plainly reflected, and he who  
neglects to avail himself of the  
information deserves to suffer for  
his ignorance or inattention. We  
cannot expect to escape the effects,  
in this country, of the English  
crisis. Our banks will be com-  
pelled to curtail their accommoda-  
tions. Business of all kinds is  
dull enough at our commercial  
centres at present; but with such  
a prospect, the approaching sum-  
mer will not be likely to promise  
much improvement.

## Drugs and Medicines.

Smith & Blake, West side of the  
Square, have revised and enlarged  
their advertisement in this paper,  
and ask the attention of the pub-  
lic to it. They have a superior  
assortment of articles in their line,  
and propose selling at the lowest  
prices. Give them a call. They are  
courteous business gentlemen,  
and give all comers a cordial greet-  
ing.

## Committed to Jail.

Two white men—Hanvy and  
Clark, by name—and a negro,  
were committed to jail in this  
place last Sunday. They are  
charged with having stolen six-  
teen bushels of meal from Ashby's  
mill, three and a half miles North  
of Mulberry.

## Temporary Adjournment.

The resolution adopted by the  
Legislature to adjourn *sine die* last  
Monday, was reconsidered, and a  
recess from the 28th of May till  
the 8th of October, and an ad-  
journment *sine die* on the 8th  
of December, 1866, adopted.

## School Commissioners.

In the 1st district, Lynchburg,  
Thursday, 24th, the following gen-  
tlemen were elected School Com-  
missioners, the vote being—D. L.  
Enochs, 24; Felix Motlow, 23; D.  
Sullivan, 23.

## The Memphis Riots.

WASHINGTON, May 26.  
Major Gilbreth, sent by Gen.  
Howard to investigate the Mem-  
phis riots, has made a partial re-  
port on the subject. He says the  
"civil authorities have not taken  
the slightest notice of these terri-  
ble riots, and seem to regard them  
as a simple skirmish between the  
police and the negroes. It certainly  
was a very one-sided skirmish, as  
from the testimony, no resistance  
was made by the negroes after the  
first night. The citizens have  
been advised to hold a meeting  
and denounce the conduct of the  
mob, but still they either neglect  
or refuse to do so. The papers of  
Memphis are at the root of the  
whole matter. They have incited  
riot and murder for months, and  
this is only a legitimate result of  
their inflammatory and incendiary  
articles. The poor whites, be-  
tween whom and the negroes a  
feud has always existed, have been  
but their tools."

## The Markets—Latest Dates

FAYETTEVILLE PRICES CURRENT.

OBSERVER OFFICE.  
Fayetteville, May 31, 1866.

ARTICLES.	FROM	TO
Apples, dried, per bush...	3 00	15
Bacon, Shakers, per lb...	14	20
Beans, per bush...	18	20
Butter, per lb...	20	25
Candles, Star, per lb...	30	35
Maize, per bush...	25	30
Corn, per bush...	25	27
Corn Meal, per bush...	1 40	1 60
Coffee, per lb...	33	35
Cheese, per lb...	30	40
Chickens, per doz...	3 00	20
Eggs, per doz...	15	20
Flour, per 100 lbs...	7 00	9 00
Honey, strained, per gal...	2 00	2 20
Lard, per lb...	18	20
Mackerel, each...	12 1/2	15
Molasses, per gal...	1 25	1 50
Potatoes, Irish, per bush...	none	25
Rice, per bush...	6 75	9 50
Salt, per bush...	16	25
Sugar, per bush...	3 00	3 50
Turkeys, each...	1 25	1 75
Wheat, per bush...	2 25	2 50
Wood, per load...	1 00	3 00

## Nashville, Tenn.

There is but very little doing in uncom-  
mon money and rates are unchanged.  
Bank of Tennessee is decidedly weak at 80  
buying, and 33 selling.  
Planters' Bank is dull at 60 buying and 62  
selling, while Union Bank is firm at 70/120.  
Southern money is generally dull and flat.  
Only a few of the best banks sell readily.  
Cotton—The market was active and prices  
firm, at from 32 3/4 to 33 1/4 for good cotton.  
Groceries—The market closed at previous  
quotations.

## New York.

Flour—Advanced 10/20... Wheat, dull  
...Corn, heavy, mess, \$30 50 to \$33 25...  
Naval Stores, firm... Turpentine, 95 to 97 1/2  
...Gold, 138 1/2.

## New Orleans, La.

Cotton—Stiff; at 35 3/4 for low middling.  
...Superfine, at 39 25... Corn,  
mixed, \$7 1/2 to 8... Pork, \$3... Gold, 139  
bank sterling 55... New York exchange, 3/4  
premium.

## Louisville, Ky.

Tobacco, unchanged... Flour, Superfine,  
\$8 00, extra, \$9 25; family, \$11 50... Corn,  
70c... Oats, 47c... Potatoes, \$2 1/2...  
Bacon—Shoulders, 14c; clear sides 15c;  
hams, 23 1/2c... Coffee, advanced... Sugar,  
advanced... Sheet, standard, 22c...  
Cotton Yarns, advanced 2c.

## Bank Note List.

NASHVILLE BANKERS' RATES.

## TENNESSEE.

Bank of Tennessee, old issue...	30
Planters' Bank...	70
Bank of Chattanooga...	20
do Commerce...	1 20
do Knoxville...	40
do Memphis...	95
do Middle Tennessee...	55
do Paris...	55
do Union...	40
do West Tennessee...	40
Bank's Bank...	55
City...	55
Commercial do...	95
Merchants' do...	95
Shelby do...	55
Ohio do...	30
Bank of Shelbyville...	85
Southern Bank...	25
Traders' do...	30
Life and General Insurance Co...	50

## SOUTH CAROLINA.

Bank of Camden...	45
do Charleston...	18
do Chester...	18
do Georgetown...	20
do Hamburg...	15
do Newberry...	50
do State of South Carolina...	15
Commercial Bank...	15
Exchange and Exchange do...	65
Merchants' Bank...	15
do do...	48
Planters' Bank of Fairfield...	15
Painters' and Mechanics' Bank...	15
do do...	5
Southwestern Railroad...	50
Union Bank...	60

## ALABAMA.

Bank of Mobile...	80
do Montgomery...	75
do Selma...	35
Central Bank...	35
Commercial do...	35
do do...	40
Eastern do...	40
Northern do...	50
Southern do...	75

## GEORGIA.

Central Railroad Bank...	93
Georgia Railroad and Banking Co...	93
Bank of Middle Georgia...	85
Marine Bank...	80
Bank of Augusta...	5
Augusta Insurance...	5
Bank of Athens...	43
do Columbus...	17
do Commerce...	05
do Empire State...	23
do Filton...	35
do Savannah...	35
do State of Georgia...	23
City Bank of Augusta...	25
Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank...	6
Mechanics' do...	09
Merchants' and Planters' do...	10
Planters' do...	10
Union do...	5

## SPECIAL.

Gold...	135
Silver, Dollars...	130
do Halves and Quarters...	125
do Dimes and Half Dimes...	120
Vouchers...	88

## Marriages.

MARRIED.  
In this county, Sunday, 27th inst. Mr. J.  
W. WOODARD and Miss MARY E. HAM-  
PTON.In this county, Tuesday, 29th inst. Mr. W.  
B. RUDD and Miss PAMELIA SULLIVAN.In this county, Tuesday, 29th inst. Mr.  
ROBERT W. HANNAWAY and Miss FAN-  
NIE W. WYNNE.In this county, Tuesday, 29th inst. Mr. S.  
H. SMITH and Miss PAMELIA TRIPP.In Edgefield, Wednesday, 23d inst., at the  
residence of Irbly Morgan, Esq., by the Rev.  
Dr. Howell, Mr. JOHN W. BRIGHT, for-  
merly of this place, and Miss ELIZA BURT.

## Deaths.

DIED:

In this county, Friday, 25th inst. Mr.  
THOMAS HALBERT, aged about 25 years.

## SMITH &amp; BLAKE,

DRUGGISTS,

West Side of the Public Square,

FAYETTEVILLE, TENN.

DEALERS IN

DRUGS,

Medicines, Paints,

OILS, WHITE LEAD,

GLUE,

VARNISH,

Patent Medicines,

Of all Kinds.

Dye Stuffs,

Fine Wines,

Window Glass,

Putty,

Combs,

Hair Brushes,

Tooth do

Accordians,

Violins,

Flutes,

Extracts,

Perfumeries,

Fine Toilet Soaps

Pocket Cutlery, Warm Candy,

Paint Brushes, (Ball's and Hurley's)

Cloth Brushes, Powder, Caps, Shot,

Books,

Stationery,

Soda,

Pepper,

Cudbear,

Indigo,

Madder of the Crown of Tartar,

best quality,

Cochineal, &amp;c, &amp;c,

To all of which we respectfully

invite the attention of our old friends

and customers, and the citizens of

Lincoln county generally. Thankful

for the liberal patronage already re-

ceived, we hope by strict attention to

business, to receive a continuance of

the same. may 31

## In Chancery.

S. M. Ewing et al } May Rules, 1866.

W. J. Ewing et al }